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#### THE WEATHER.

(Contributed.)

Weather conditions in Texas have been out of the ordinary this winter. According to the report of the local observer for Bryan, November brought us but four fair days. The continued fall rains did enormous damage to unharvested crops in the field, especially to the cotton. But the climax was reached in early December, when unprecedented floods came down and spread ruin, devastation and death through our rich river valleys. The disaster covered our fair land as with a black pall.

The flood waters slowly abated; but cloudy days and generally disagreeable, ugly weather held on. Then came the Christmas holidays, bringing still such weather as gave little opportunity for celebrating that joyous event, even if our people had had any heart for festivities.

Now, we usually have our worst weather in January. But behold! The new year has brought us such an unexpected burst of glorious weather as to make every living thing exult in the very joy of living. It seems that Nature as if anxious to repay us for all the wrongs and ills of the past, is just bathing the whole earth in a flood of sunshine and wrapping it in an atmosphere of healing balm. Every day of the new year has been as a separate golden coin, or may I rather say, a priceless shining pearl, dropped down into our hands with such a largeness of generosity as to make us ashamed that we ever should have felt that Nature owed us anything or had ever withheld from us aught of good. Or, if I may be allowed to change the figure, this spell of glorious weather following close in the wake of cloud, and storm, and flood, might well remind us of a child that in the midst of a towering rage of grief and anger, suddenly bursts into sweet laughter, with undried tears on a smiling face.

Each day for some ten days now, God has repeated before our wondering, that finest of all His miracles—a perfect day. Each new morning reddening in the east has indeed recreated the whole earth; each noon the

heavens have been as one vast bowl of molten gold upturned above us; each evening, half way up to the zenith the sky has been luminous with a liquid beauty; each night has been thick sown with stars that looked down in infinite peace upon us. For all this let us be profoundly thankful. Let us take the good gift from the generous hand of the Giver; let us turn our backs to the past, our faces to the future, and with a prayer of gratitude in our hearts and a song of faith and hope on our lips, let us go forward into a glad, strong new year.

#### SOME BOUQUET.

The Eagle is proud of its subscription list, both Daily and Weekly. The paper is a welcome visitor to a large majority of the best homes of the city and county, and new ones are being added every day.—Bryan Eagle.

The editorials are so bright, the local and general news so acceptable and the mechanical appearance of The Eagle so perfect that every appreciative citizen in Bryan and Brazos County wants the paper and is a subscriber.—Tyler Courier-Times.

Is it everlastingly and finally too late to arrange for the paving of the intersecting streets back to the proper line, so the work can be done now while Main is being paved? It is badly needed and if it could be arranged it would be doing something worth while.

Colonel Roosevelt shot the rhino, the hippo, the elephant, the lion and tiger in the jungles of Africa, and is now chasing the zebu, the tapir and the great screaming aemus in the swamps of South America. The only nimrod stunt left for him will be to shoot a polar bear off the north pole.

The editor of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram (every time we write that name we feel like the aurora borealis belongs in it somewhere) says Fort Worth has its clutch set for full steam ahead in 1914. Talks about the "clutch" as familiarly as if he owned an automobile.

Tomorrow is Sunday again, and the duty of going to church is up to you once more. Every church door in the city is open and a cordial welcome awaits you.

The Cullen Thomas eliminating squad is doing it again today in Dallas.

Mayes, Lane, Huerta—the three great non-eliminators.

Don't go to talking politics until you get your poll tax receipt salted down.

#### SCIENTIFIC MASSEUR.

Dr. Daughtry, formerly of Jewett, Texas, one of the most widely known and successful magnetic masseurs of the South, is now in the city, and anyone who is suffering, it matters not what your disease may be or of how long standing, it will be to your interest to call and see him at once. Consultation free. Office Howell Bldg. Phone 342.

#### SCHOOL HOUSE A SOCIAL CENTER

Fathers, mothers, boys and girls, teachers, all, young and old alike, should come together often in the common cause of community welfare. "The school house becomes the natural place for social gatherings, for musical entertainments, for neighborhood meetings of every nature that will make life more enjoyable. At the community school house we can take off our political, religious and society coats, and become shirt-sleeve workers for democracy, inspired by a sense of comradeship and a true civic spirit. One of the happiest signs in this century of discontent is that society at last not only gives the affirmative answer to the question, 'Am I my brother's keeper?' but is also adding, 'And I am my brother's helper.' Are you doing your share? As a parent do you visit the school; do you confer with the teacher on how to make the school more efficient and useful in the community? Do you attend the meetings of the school board? Do you go out to public meetings and take a part in the discussion of improved methods of farming or of some local tax issue? Do you do your part all along the line that connects you with your neighborhood life?

The one thing that commands respect, insures progress and promotion, which secures unfailing rewards in the world today, is efficiency. Keen competition, the increased cost of living, larger problems, more complex conditions confront us, and we must meet them intelligently, that is, efficiently.

And what is efficiency? One man says, "Being able to hold your job;" another, "It means to make good." That it means and more—efficiency involves not merely the doing of a certain kind of work and doing it well, but the development of all the powers of the individual so that growth and progress are made possible. We must avoid and destroy things which prevent this growth and this living at our best; things that render us less prepared for the work demanded of us, not only for the reason that we must answer for them some distant judgment day, but because we answer for them every day of our lives in terms of discomfort, ignorance, poverty, sickness and crime.

As with the individual so it is with the nation and with the community. The question every individual and every community must ask is, "What am I doing to make the world a happier and better place in which to live?" What kind of a world do I wish my children and children's children to live in when my hands have finished their work? What we are doing, every man and woman of us, every community and every nation, is just building a world for the children to live in after we are gone.—Mrs. P. O. McKinsey in Farm and Ranch.

#### THE COTTON MARKETS

Cotton of this season's growth has been received at the local warehouses to date as follows:

Lawrence warehouse ..... 8,753  
Brick warehouse ..... 6,563  
Union warehouse ..... 5,430

Total ..... 20,746  
Interurban cotton ..... 2,426  
Round (half) bales ..... 860

Grand total ..... 24,042

Bryan spots, 11½c, middling basis.  
Cotton seed, \$14 per ton.

#### Future Quotations.

	Open	Close	Yes/day
New York—			
January	12.13	12.13	
March	12.47	12.46	
May	12.22	12.85	
July	12.27	12.31	
New Orleans—			
January	12.50	12.51	
March	12.68	12.69	
May	12.78	12.89	
July	12.88	12.90	

## OUR GREAT FLOOD SALE

is breaking all previous records for this store. The men of Bryan and vicinity have been quick to take advantage of its great money-saving opportunities.

Lots of Bargains left. Our stock is so large and varied that you can still find what you want at these money-saving prices.

Practically every article in our Store is included in this Sale

### Men's Fine Suits and Overcoats at 65c on the Dollar

All of our \$30.00 Suits and Overcoats reduced to ..... \$20.00  
All of our \$27.50 Suits and Overcoats reduced to ..... \$18.35  
All of our \$25.00 Suits and Overcoats reduced to ..... \$16.65  
All of our \$22.50 Suits and Overcoats reduced to ..... \$15.00

All of our \$20.00 Suits and Overcoats reduced to ..... \$13.35  
All of our \$17.50 Suits and Overcoats reduced to ..... \$11.65  
All of our \$15.00 Suits and Overcoats reduced to ..... \$10.00  
All of our \$12.50 Suits and Overcoats reduced to ..... \$8.35

All of our \$10.00 Suits and Overcoats reduced to ..... \$6.65

Big Reductions in Men's Shoes, Winterweight Underwear, Men's and Boys' Sweaters, Trunks and Traveling Bags, Shirts, Odd Trousers, Bath Robes, etc.

## A. M. WALDROP & CO.

The Store for Values in Men's Apparel.

#### DEATH OF MRS. MARIETTA WORLEY

One of the Oldest Residents of the City Called to Her Reward.

As briefly mentioned in these columns yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Marietta Worley, widow of the late Arthur Worley, died at her home in this city Friday morning, January 9, at 6:55 o'clock, after an illness of some days' duration.

Mrs. Worley was Miss Marietta Prestridge, and was born in Pickens County, Alabama, April 19, 1849, making her 64 years, 8 months and 20 days of age at the time of her death. She was reared in Alabama, and came to Texas with her mother's family in 1868, and settled in Bryan, this city, being her home continuously since.

She was united in marriage in this city to Mr. Arthur Worley on April 18, 1872, and her husband preceded her to the great beyond by only a few short months.

Mrs. Worley was a member of the

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First Baptist Church of this city, and was converted under the ministry and baptized by the sainted Dr. F. M. Law. Dr. Law also performed the wedding ceremony when she and Mr. Worley were married. She was a consistent member of the church at all times, a faithful, trusting Christian, and exemplified in her daily walk and life the teachings of her Savior. She was by nature quiet and retiring, yet abounding in deeds of charity and kindness, her influence and example making the world better by her having lived in it.

She is survived by three children, Mrs. I. G. McGee of Anson, Mr. Albert Worley and Miss Daisy Worley of this city. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. E. J. Lynch of this city, and one brother, Mr. T. J. Prestridge of Long Beach, Cal. The bereaved household and relatives have the profound sympathy of all in their great sorrow.

The funeral was held from the family home at 10 o'clock this morning, Dr. M. E. Weaver, her pastor, conducting the funeral services.

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#### DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The firm of Beard & Crenshaw of Edge, Texas, composed of T. W. Beard, John W. Beard and E. W. Crenshaw, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Crenshaw retiring from the firm. The new proprietors assume all liabilities of the old firm and will collect all accounts due same.

T. W. BEARD,  
J. W. BEARD,  
E. W. CRENSHAW.  
Edge, Tex., Jan. 9, 1914.

Referring to the above, I wish to thank my friends and the public generally for the liberal patronage extended the firm of Beard & Crenshaw, and to ask a continuance of same for my successors.

E. W. CRENSHAW.

Monday at the Crystal.

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Three exciting reels.

Benefit Long Horn "14."

At the Crystal tonight.

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BAIRD IN  
"IVANHOE" FOUR PARTS

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### FINAL CLEAN-UP SALE!

A Massive Movement of All Winter Merchandise, Involving Everything in the House of a Winter Nature.

It Is to Your Advantage to Attend This Sale—  
It Means Dollars Saved on Things Needed Now!

How's This? Any Coat Suit in Our House above \$25.00 at Exactly Half Price  
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